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## TELEGRAPHIC

WINNIPEG, Dec. 16, 1886.

D. H. Macdowell of Prince Albert has returned from England.

The steamer G. M. White was burned to the water's edge on the Mississippi this week and sixty lives lost.

It is generally understood that there will be no election for the territories held until the federal contest is over.

John Armstrong of St. James near Winnipeg yesterday tried to shoot his wife and killed himself. Cause, liquor.

The official declaration of the Winnipeg mayoralty contest gives Pearson a majority of six over Jones. A recount has been demanded.

There has been a strong revival of the war scare in Europe. Von Moltke is reported as saying that there will be no war while the Emperor William lives.

A destructive fire visited Portage la Prairie on Sunday morning last. Doige's block and several other properties were destroyed, inflicting a loss of about \$25,000.

The divorce case of Lady Colin Campbell has been closed. Her evidence tended strongly to rebuttal of the charges of immorality made against her, and public opinion is now strongly with her.

Walters & Baker, merchants of Prince Albert, have secured a verdict at Regina against the Canadian Pacific railway for \$5,000 for loss sustained in the destruction by fire of goods at Qu'Appelle station.

John Dillon, who was prosecuted for his "plan of campaign" speeches, has been tried and ordered to give personal bonds for one thousand pounds, with two sureties for one thousand pounds each, for good behavior or go to prison for six months.

The controller of mounted police reports that the Indians all through the North-West were never more contented and prosperous than now. One small band this year sold over 100 tons of hay to the police besides a considerable quantity of grain, and another band sold sufficient grain to purchase two reapers.

There will be several recounts in connection with the provincial elections. One in Cypress, where the liberal candidate had a majority of only one, and another in West Brandon. In North Dufferin the recount commenced to day. The returning officer will give judgment in the Rockwood election on Saturday or Monday. The deputy returning officer at Gimli, where the ballots were mysteriously destroyed by fire, cannot recollect the figures, but the poll clerk says that Jackson had a majority of 27. The ballot box at Fort Alexander was also lost. The effect of which will be to deprive Glass of his seat for St. Clements. A caucus of conservative members of the legislature will be held next week and an early session is probable.

The following is the return of the Manitoba elections as published in the Free Press of Dec. 11th: Government—Assiniboia, Murray; Brandon West, Kirchoffer; Carleton, Marion; Dufferin North, Wilson; Emerson, Douglas; Kildonan, McBeth; La Verandrye, Prander-gast; Minnedosa East, Gillies; Minnedosa West, Harrison; Russell, Leacock; Springfield, Smith; Shoal Lake, Hamilton; St. Francois Xavier, Burke; St. Andrew's, Norquay; Souris, Alexander; St. Boniface, Lavoie; Westbourne, Brown; Winnipeg North, Drewry; Woodlands, Robinson—total 19. Opposition—Brandon East, Smart; Beautiful Plains, Crawford; Cypress, Thompson; Dufferin South, Duffin; Lorne, McDonald; Neepawa, Greenway; Morris, Martin; Nor-Off, Thompson; Portage, Rockwood; Jackson, Turtle Mountain, Young; Winnipeg South, Luxton—total 14. Independent—Cartier, Galley; St. Clement's, Glass—total 2.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 17, 1886.

Hon. Thos. White has declined the conservative nomination for Marquette and says he will contest Cardwell, his present constituency. Major Boulton will now be the conservative candidate for Marquette and Watson the liberal.

John Dillon M. P. for East Mayo, Wm. O'Brien editor of United Ireland, Matthew Harris, M. P. for East Galway and David Shippy, M. P. for South Galway were yesterday arrested in the town of Loughrea, county Galway, charged with conspiracy to defraud. The prisoners have been acting as trustees in conducting the "plan of campaign," and have been receiving from dissatisfied tenants reduced rents refused by landlords or their agents. The arrests have caused great excitement.

Despatches from Mandalay state that Col. Hayrand with a body of British troops recently pursued 700 Dacoits and killed 200 of them. Many others were made prisoners. Stores and ammunition were seized in several places.

BATTLEFORD, Dec. 17, 1886.

Weather fine.

Skating rink frozen at last.

Fishing in Turtle and other lakes very good.

Indians are getting fresh beef as well as bacon.

Swift Current school examination and distribution of prizes on Thursday next.

Fifty-seven cases of sickness on the Battle river reserves. Croup is bad amongst the children.

No sleighing for 100 miles north of Swift Current and but little the rest of the way to Battleford.

A number of freighters from the line of railway, who came north for the first time this season, are pleased with the country and have taken up claims.

## LOCAL.

J. MOWAT arrived on Friday with freight for the H. B. Co.

J. R. McPHADEN arrived on Tuesday with freight for Ross Bros.

R. BERNARD arrived on Friday with freight for A. Macdonald & Co.

A SELVAIS arrived on Thursday with freight for the H. B. Co.

GEO. WHITMAN an old time resident of Edmonton is running a hotel at Banff.

The appointment of the new bishop of Saskatchewan rests only with the Archbishop of Canterbury.

CONSIDERABLE improvements are being made in the police officers' quarters here by Fraser & Co.

TELEGRAPHIC communication was opened with Fort Saskatchewan on Wednesday. W. Ross operator.

PUBLIC examination of the Edmonton school on Thursday next, 23rd inst., commencing at 10 a.m.

"CHRISTIANITY" is the subject of Rev. Canon Newton's lecture in the school house to-morrow evening.

THE days will be at their shortest next week. Sun rises at 8:30 a.m. and sets at 4 p.m. or thereabouts.

SNOW is deep from the Lone Pine to ten miles beyond Scarlett's. No sleighing this side of the Lone Pine.

W. F. BREDEA a former resident of Edmonton has lately placed two car loads of cattle on his ranch at Radnor west of Calgary.

THE deer hunters returned on Saturday last with one cabri, shot by C. Fraser. They saw plenty of tracks but not many deer.

REV. DR. PROVOST, superior of Ottawa college, who was chaplain of the 65th battalion during the North-West campaign, is dead.

WOLFE & PATTON have opened a carpenter and paint shop in the building lately occupied by Gus. Mitchell as a butcher shop.

PASSENGERS by Monday's stage: Rev. Pere Leduc and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brenton. Jas. Walsh, fur buyer, came on the stage to Red Deer.

J. F. SMITH has opened a livery, feed and sale business in the stable lately erected by Luke Kelly in rear of Sanderson & Looby's blacksmith shop.

MORETON FREWEN a Montana cattle man has a party of observation in the Red Deer country, to report on the possibility of wintering cattle there.

JAS. NORN arrived from Saddle Lake on Thursday, where he has been threshing out the crop of the Indian settlement. The yield and quality of grain was good.

A MEETING of those interested in literary matters will be held in The Poplars next Thursday evening at 7:30 to form a club for the study of English literature.

TELEGRAPH rates to Fort Saskatchewan: From St. Albert and Edmonton 25c for ten words and 2c for each additional word; all other points same as from Edmonton.

ISAP SNYDER skated to Fort Saskatchewan on the river, about 26 miles, on Wednesday 8th inst., in two and a half hours actual skating. The ice is extra good this season.

THREE tenders were put in on Tuesday last at the office here for the supply of telegraph poles for the new line from Saddle Lake to Pitt. There were also several put in at Battleford, and it is rumored that the Battleford tenders were lowest. The contract has not yet been awarded.

GRAHAM & STEWART who recently dug a well for Norris & Carey near their store found water at 33 feet. Some years ago J. Coleman bored a well near the same place and failed to get water at 70 feet.

THE Ottawa Journal publishes a report that a royal commission to investigate the charges as to the mismanagement of Indian affairs will be held shortly. Judge Taylor of Winnipeg will probably be one of the commission.

REPORTED that the miners Lacombe and Philledaun have discovered two far or coal oil springs in a creek valley about three miles this side of the Haney mine. A number of parties from the neighborhood of St. Albert left on Thursday for the find.

A MARE with saddle and bridle on and a colt beside her was found tied to F. D. Wilson's fence on Monday morning last, and remained there until Wednesday afternoon, when they were removed by the police and now held awaiting claimants.

A BLACKFEET half breed who has been in the employ of J. Norris, senior for some time past became dangerously insane on Tuesday of this week and had to be confined in the police cells here. He was examined by Supt. Griesbach on Friday and will be taken to Ft. Saskatchewan to-day.

REV. PERE LESTANG of St. Albert was a passenger by Thursday's stage for Calgary and Rome to attend the grand council of the order of the Oblats, which meets on April 15th. The delegates from the diocese of St. Albert are: Bishop Grandin, by virtue of his office; Rev. Pere Andre, selected by the clergy of the diocese; and Rev. Pere Lestane, chosen by the general of the order. Bishop Grandin and Rev. Pere Andre are already at Calgary. Rev. Pere Leduc will be in charge at St. Albert during the absence of the Bishop, which will be for about a year. Rev. Pere Lacombe will be in charge of the Calgary missions.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

### \$5.00 REWARD.

Strayed from the vicinity of town one Spotted Cow, "house" band on left hip. Information as to her whereabouts left at the BULLETIN office will be paid for as above. Edmonton, Nov. 11th, 1886.

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## NOTICE.

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## SHOOTING MATCH AT

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TUESDAY, 21ST INST.

TURKEYS—Rifles, range 250 yards, 9-inch bull's eye.

CHICKENS—Shot Guns, range 75 yards, 6-inch bull's eye.

Also a Fat Steer to be shot for.

Shooting to commence at 10 a.m.

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## WILL

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#### INDIANS

THE Indian department has issued a pamphlet of 74 pages entitled, "The Facts Respecting Indian Administration in the North-West." It purports to be a reply to a speech made by M.C. Cameron, in the house of commons on the 15th of April last, charging the Indian department with mal administration. The BULLETIN is twice introduced in this pamphlet as an important witness to the proper administration of North-West Indian affairs. This is gratifying evidence to the impartiality of this paper and an acknowledgment of the importance which the highest officials attach to its utterances. If its expressions are admissible as important and credible evidence in favor of the Indian department in all fairness its expressions to the contrary must be accorded equal credit. That it has published just a few such expressions in the past its readers are well aware. In this pamphlet, while the lie more or less direct is given to statements by Mr. Cameron, Mr. Jackson, Rev. John McDougall, Rev. Jas. Robertson and Rev. Mr. Trivett, the attempt is made to show that while the BULLETIN was politically opposed to the present government and personally to Mr. Dewdney it approved of the policy and acts of the Indian department. The facts are that it is not opposed to the government as a government or to Mr. Dewdney as Mr. Dewdney, and that while it has always been willing to accord credit where credit was due to the department itself or its officials from the highest to the lowest—as the extracts alluded to prove—it has in the public interest been compelled to unsparingly condemn the whole policy and many of the acts of the Indian department. With the stand taken by the rev. gentlemen and politicians alluded to in the pamphlet it has nothing to do. They have chosen to attack the department in matters of detail; the BULLETIN's objections have been to the policy in which the mal-administration originated. But the assertions made by these parties were grave and definite and they require to be met by something better than the "you're another" argument contained in this pamphlet. Either (1) These men told the truth; in which case guilty contractors and agents should be punished, or (2) They lied and should be punished for foully libeling respectable business men and government officials; who still remain under the imputations thus cast upon their honor. The officials in this part of treaty six are, as far as the public are aware, above suspicion in the matters in which others have been accused, and it is most cruel that for lack of a thorough investigation their names should be associated in the minds of the people of Canada with the foul crimes that have been alleged against Indian officials in general. The pamphlet says that "Rev. Mr. McDougall has been asked by the department to substantiate the expressions attributed to him and has wholly failed to do so." When one man libels another it is not usual for the person libelled to ask the libeller to substantiate his statements. He brings the matter before the courts and compels a retraction. Until the Indian department does this the matter must remain a question of veracity between it and its reverend and other accusers. The argument put forth against the stand taken by Mr. Cameron is childish to the verge of idiocy. It is that Mr. Cameron's charges against the department are calculated to create dissatisfaction in the minds of the Indians and breed rebellion. A more reasonable supposition is that the Indians knowing that they have a powerful advocate in the great council of the country are less liable to rebel against either real or fancied grievances than if they knew they had no one to plead their cause there and that the only arguments left for them were the torch, the knife and the bullet. The complaint of the BULLETIN against the Indian department is that having deliberately made

a treaty with the Indians they as deliberately—since the advent of Mr. Dewdney—disregarded it. At the time the treaty was made the Indians had perfect faith in all promises of the Canadian, or as they thought the British, government and were in perfect friendship with all British subjects. For years past they have had no confidence in the promises of any of the officials of the department, and have come to look upon the whites as their natural enemies. At the same time they have decreased in number and where it was possible retrograded in civilization although the sums of money annually expended upon them have increased from \$615,661 in 1880 to \$1,008,930 in 1885. Such results are proof positive either of gross mismanagement by the department or of unalterable meanness in the Indian. Inasmuch as the connection of the British government with the Indians has extended over hundreds of years and has been marked throughout those years, up to the appointment of Mr. Dewdney, by the utmost friendship and confidence on both sides, it is fair to suppose that their change of attitude towards the government is due to a change in the method of dealing with them rather than to a sudden change in their nature. It is true that at the advent of Mr. Dewdney the food supply of the plain Indians failed, and this has been alleged as the cause of the altered attitude of the Indians towards the government. The idea is worth considering. The pamphlet says that in treaty "x" the commission agreed that in the event of a pestilence or of a general famine overtaking the Indians the government would grant such measure of relief as might be deemed expedient. Therefore if the department and the Indians could agree as to what amount of food it would be expedient to provide and the department provided it as the treaty required there could be no trouble on that score. The commissioners who negotiated the treaty were particular to make clear to the government the intent of this provision, which was that the Indians fearing the extinction of the buffalo by the advance of white people demanded that the loss when it occurred be made good to them, and that it was only on this distinct understanding they could be induced to sign the treaty. The commissioners particularly cautioned the government as to the necessity of fulfilling this stipulation. In the face of this and the admission in the pamphlet that treaty six included a supply of food, the second following sentence says, "The government is not bound by treaty to feed the Indians." The Indians sold their birthright for a mess of pottage, and the government denies the bargain in regard to the pottage. When an Indian in treaty six demanded food from his agent he did so knowing that he had a treaty right to it. The agent either refused the food or granted it on condition that the Indian accepted it as a pauper or a slave. At the same time although the Indians of treaty seven had made no such stipulation, so the pamphlet says, because they were the numerous and warlike Blackfeet they received rations year in and year out. The Crees and Stonies of treaty six drew the conclusion that the Blackfeet received more than their treaty called for because the authorities feared them, and that they received less than they had agreed for because they were not feared. Therefore they rebelled. That the administration of Indian affairs has improved since the rebellion and since the criticisms of which the department complains were published is undoubted, and yet so disgusted are the Indians with the department that last summer three-fourths of those in this region insisted on leaving the treaty to take scrip as half breeds, but the department would not allow them. This action of the Indians shows more clearly than words could do how the department has dealt with them in the past, how the liberal stipulations of the treaty were given effect, how the immense appropriations for the benefit of Indians have not been spent, and how the honor of Britain and of Canada, of Christianity and civilization has been dragged in the dust.

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## LOCAL.

THE Prince Albert Times speaks for itself thusly: "They proceed on the assumption that most men are fools, and they are not far wrong."

THE MacLeod Gazette suggests that as the conservative press is more independent of party control than the reform, the conservative party is more worthy of general support at the polls than their opponents. That is, because their own hired servants cannot fully endorse the conservative policy the public should do so. The independence of the conservative press—supposing such a thing to exist—is a plain notice that party ties are being loosened, and that the time has come for the party voter as well as the party organ to exercise the right of private judgment.

JAS. McMILLEN & Co. of Minneapolis quote fur prices on Dec. 1st: Bear, black, \$12 to \$16, grizzly \$10 to \$14, brown, \$8 to \$10; fisher, dark, \$7 to \$9, pale \$5 to \$6; fox, silver gray \$40 to \$50, cross \$4 to \$5, red \$1.25 to \$1.50; martin, dark, \$2 to \$3, pale \$1 to \$1.50; mink, Manitoba dark, 75c to \$1; otter, Manitoba dark, \$10 to \$12, pale \$7 to \$8; skunk, black \$1.25 to \$1.50; wolverine, dark \$3 to \$5, pale \$2 to \$3; wolf \$3 to \$3.50; coyote \$1 to \$1.25; beaver per skin, large \$8.50, medium \$6.50; small \$3, kits \$1.50; rats 7c to 9c. All kinds of furs are in active demand, particularly beaver and otter, and the outlook is very favorable for the coming season.

J. B. TYRRELL of the geological survey has returned to Ottawa from the North-West. He speaks highly of the coal supply of northern Alberta. He mentions one seam south of Edmonton which is upwards of 40 feet in depth and six miles in length, and says that the whole country from Rocky Mountain House to Fort Pitt, 350 miles along the Saskatchewan, is one vast series of coal beds. Several seams of splendid anthracite coal were discovered on the Red Deer and near the Rocky Mountain House. The soft coal is better than that of Nova Scotia. As to the agricultural resources of this district he says: "My opinion of the country is that it is the best farming and grazing land in the North-West. I saw some of the finest crops near Edmonton that I ever saw in my life."

THE Lethbridge News, conservative, says that requisitions in favor of several candidates for the commons are being circulated in that town, and objects to the proceeding as gross political immorality. It says: "It will be well for the electors generally to wait until either the negotiations for holding a convention have fallen through or its candidate has been selected before encouraging the aspirations of those who would hamper the nominee of their party through their uncontrollable ambitions." "In many cases a candidate after wasting both time and money sustains an ignominious defeat at the polls owing to those who have signed the petition regarding it as a meaningless form instead of an implied promise which they are in honor bound to fulfill." With all due deference to the News, as between the requisition which the elector signs for the candidate he prefers and the convention which binds him to support if called upon the candidate whom he may detest, the advantage on the score of morality seems to be with the former.

## CALGARY.

### TO THE ELECTORS OF THE DISTRICT OF ALBERTA,

GENTLEMEN,—Having been solicited by my many friends to offer myself as a candidate for the Dominion Parliament for the district of Alberta. After duly considering the matter I have decided to offer myself as an independent candidate but bound to advocate and support the interests of the North-West, and hope to secure the active assistance of every elector who expects to make this great and promising country his home.

T. B. STRANGE.

## CHURCHES.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.—Hours of Sunday service: All-Saints 11 a.m., St. Michael's 6.30 p.m. W.N.

ST. JOACHIM'S, R. C. CHURCH, Edmonton.—Mass at 10 a.m. every Sunday. Sermon in English and Cree. Afternoon services at 3 o'clock. H. GRANDIN, O.M.I.

METHODIST CHURCH OF CANADA. J. H. Howard, Pastor. Hours of service, 11 a.m. and 7.00 p.m. Sabbath school, 2.30 p.m. Prayer meeting and lecture, Wednesday evening at 7 p.m.

EDMONTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Pastor, the Rev. Andrew B. Baird, M.A., B.D. Sabbath services at Edmonton: 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sabbath school at 2 p.m. Belmont: Oct. 17, 31; Nov. 14, 28, Dec. 12, 26. Sturgeon Nov. 7, Dec. 5. Clover bar: Oct. 24, Nov. 25, Dec. 19. Fort Saskatchewan: Oct. 17, Nov. 14, Dec. 12. No morning service at Edmonton on the days when there is service at Fort Saskatchewan.

## BLACKSMITH & CARRIAGE SHOP.

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Boy's Suits,  
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Shirts and Drawers of all kinds,  
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Dress Goods, the finest lot and cheapest in town,  
Ribbons of every shade and best quality.

Groceries and Hardware,  
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CALL AND SEE—No trouble to show goods.

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## MARCH 18TH, 1886.

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D. R. FRASER & Co.

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Undressed " "	30.00
Dressed siding	40.00
Ship Lap Siding, Dressed	35.00
" " Undressed	30.00
Stock Lumber, Undressed	25.00
Sheeting Lumber	20.00
Culls	15.00
Dimension Lumber, over 16 ft., extra	20.00
Fence Pickets, undressed, 3 ft. long,	
per 100	3.50
" dressed and pointed	4.00
Lath, per bundle of 100	.75
Shingles, per M	4.00
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" 10 x 10, " "	.12 1/2

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Sec'y. Treas.

\$5.00 REWARD.—Lost about the 24th of May last, from J. Fielders place west of Little Mountain, a Dark Brown Horse, eight years old, 15 1/2 hands high, white stripe down the face, Oxart brand. Any person returning the same to J. Fielders or the undersigned will receive the above reward. W. FIELDERS.

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Fairholme, 10th Nov., 1886.

## NOTICE.

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Dated at Edmonton this 23rd day of November, 1886.

JOHN H. HOWARD.

## NOTICE.

The final meeting of the board of directors of the Edmonton Agricultural Association will be held in the school house, Edmonton on Saturday December 18th, 1886, at the hour of 2:30 p.m., to complete all financial business belonging to the Association for this year.

By order,

JOHN H. HOWARD,  
Sec'y-Treasurer.

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Edmonton, Sept. 2nd, 1886.



# ST. ALBERT.

Next Friday midnight mass will be celebrated as usual in the cathedral of St. Albert. No person under the influence of liquor will be admitted. Every one is requested to behave with the respect and piety due to the great mystery we commemorate, viz.: the birth of Our Redeemer.

H. LEBUC, O.M.I.

J. FAVEL arrived from Whitefish lake on Tuesday evening, making the trip in three days. The treaty money was paid there on Tuesday, December 7th by agent Mitchell, and amounted to \$1,435. After the payments a great feast was held to which all the officials and visitors were invited. Chief Pagan seems to have profited greatly by his eastern trip. Payment was to be made at Lac la Biche on the 13th. Eight deaths from measles occurred in the Whitefish lake band.

A CHRISTMAS-TREE entertainment will be given in the Methodist church, Edmonton, on Xmas Eve, Friday, December 24th, 1886. Programme will consist of music, readings and recitations. Doors open at 6:30, entertainment to begin at 7:30. Admission, adults 50c, children free. A cordial invitation is extended to all parents to send in presents for children before 5 o'clock Friday evening.

Jos. Doupe and party came down the river on Saturday and left for the south on Tuesday. Mr. Doupe is very favorably impressed with northern Alberta as a mixed farming country, and believes it to be the best part of the North-West for that purpose. The Beaver lake country he considers extra choice.

K. McKERNAN arrived on Tuesday evening with freight for G. A. Blake, Stewart & Bannerman and others. The gross weight on one team was 4,970 pounds, tare 945 pounds, net load 4,025 pounds, brought through from Calgary with one span of horses, and on a wagon.

THE Christmas tree festival of All Saints' church will take place on Wednesday the 29th inst. Children of the Church of England are hereby welcomed. Tea will be prepared at five o'clock, and arrangements are in progress for a very interesting and pleasant evening.

## BIRTH.

HUTCHINGS—On November 26th, the wife of T. G. Hutchings, Little Mountain settlement, of a daughter.

## MARRIAGE.

BRENTON—WEST—On the 25th of November, by the Rev. Mr. McLeod, Central Presbyterian church, Toronto, Ont., at the residence of the bride's father, J. R. Brenton of Edmonton, to Julia, daughter of Chas. West late of Birkenhead, England.

## DEATH.

TURNER—On Wednesday the 15th instant, Mary Margaret, daughter of John Turner of the Miner's Flat, late of St. Andrew's, Manitoba, aged 1 year and 10 months. Winnipeg papers please copy.

## METEOROLOGICAL.

Weather report for week ending Friday evening, Dec. 17th, 1886. Reported for the BULLETIN by Mr. Alexander Taylor, observer at Edmonton.

	Max.	Min.
Saturday,	33	20
Sunday,	35	8
Monday,	40	20
Tuesday,	31	23
Wednesday,	38	20
Thursday,	25	12
Friday,	30	17

Barometer rising, 27.691.

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